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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

R. de Sylva

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD

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: Group Art Unit 2876  
: Examiner: Steven S. Paik  
: Date: June 16, 2006  
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**AMENDMENT B**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2006, please amend the above-identified Application as follows and consider the accompanying remarks: